

Classification of modules of the intermediate series over Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebras¹

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Abstract

In this paper, we first discuss the structure of the Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebras. Then we classify the modules of the intermediate series over Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebra.

1. Introduction

More than two decades ago, superconformal algebras were first constructed independently and almost at the same time by Kac [4] and by Ademollo et al. [1]. On the mathematical side Kac and van de Leur [5], Cheng and Kac [3] have classified all possible superconformal algebras and Kac recently has proved that their classification is complete.

The Neveu-Schwarz, the Ramond and the Topological $N = 2$ superconformal algebras are connected to each other by the spectral flows and/or the topological twists. Therefore, we only consider the *Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebra*, which is a \mathbb{Z}_2 -graded space: $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\bar{0}} \oplus \mathcal{L}_{\bar{1}}$, with

$$\mathcal{L}_{\bar{0}} = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{L_i, H_j, c \mid i, j \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \quad \mathcal{L}_{\bar{1}} = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{G_i^-, G_j^+ \mid i, j \in \mathbb{Z}\},$$

such that c is a central element and the following relations hold:

$$\begin{aligned} [L_i, L_j] &= (i - j)L_{i+j} + \frac{1}{12}(i^3 - i)\delta_{i+j,0}c, \\ [L_i, H_j] &= -jH_{i+j}, \quad [H_i, H_j] = \frac{1}{3}i\delta_{i+j,0}c, \\ [L_i, G_j^{\pm}] &= (\frac{i}{2} - j)G_{i+j}^{\pm}, \quad [H_i, G_j^{\pm}] = \pm G_{i+j}^{\pm}, \\ [G_i^+, G_j^+] &= [G_i^-, G_j^-] = 0, \quad [G_i^-, G_j^+] = 2L_{i+j} - (i - j)H_{i+j} + \frac{1}{3}(i^2 - \frac{1}{4})\delta_{i+j,0}c. \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

Obviously, the Cartan subalgebra of \mathcal{L} is $\mathcal{H} = \mathbb{C}L_0 + \mathbb{C}H_0 + \mathbb{C}c$, and $Vir = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{L_m, c \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is a Virasoro subalgebra of \mathcal{L} , which can be described as the

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universal central extensions of the Lie algebras of differential operators (see [2] for details).

An \mathcal{L} -module V is called a *Harish-Chandra module* if V is a direct sum of its finite dimensional weight spaces $V^\lambda = \{v \in V \mid x \cdot v = \lambda(x)v, x \in \mathcal{H}\}$ for all $\lambda \in \mathcal{H}^*$ (the dual of \mathcal{H}). Similar to the case of Virasoro algebra, we can define the module of the intermediate series over \mathcal{L} :

Definition 1.1 A *module of the intermediate series* over \mathcal{L} is an indecomposable Harish-Chandra module V such that $\dim V^\lambda \leq 1$ for all $\lambda \in \mathcal{H}^*$.

In this paper, we will consider some properties of \mathcal{L} , basing on representations of the above type over the Virasoro algebra.

The paper is arranged as follows. In Section 2, we first consider all possible super-extensions of the Heisenberg-Virasoro type Lie algebra. Our main result in this section is Theorem 2.1. As a conclusion, we obtain that the Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebra is a special case of such super-extension. Then we study the modules of the intermediate series in the last section.

Our main result is

Theorem 1.2. Any indecomposable module of the intermediate series V over the Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebra is one of modules $RA_{a,b}$, RA_α , RA^β , $RB_{a,b}$, RB_α , RB^β , or one of their quotients for $a, b, \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$, where $RA_{a,b}$ is defined in (3.25), $RB_{a,b}$ is defined in (3.26), RA_α is defined in (3.39), RA^β is defined in (3.40), (3.41), RB_α is defined in (3.42), RB^β is defined in (3.43).

2. The structure of the Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebras

Let $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}} = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{L_m, H_n \mid m, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ be a Heisenberg-Virasoro type algebra (only with 1-dimensional center $\mathbb{C}H_0$) with the following Lie brackets:

$$[L_m, L_n] = (m - n)L_{m+n}, \quad [H_m, H_n] = 0, \quad [L_m, H_n] = -nH_{m+n}. \quad (2.1)$$

Let us consider all possible super-extensions of the Lie algebra $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}}$. First assume that $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{1}}$ is an $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}}$ -module of intermediate series with basis $\{G_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ such that $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}} \oplus \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{1}}$ is a Lie superalgebra. Then following [8, Theorem 3.2], we can suppose

$$[L_m, G_i] = (a - i + mb)G_{m+i}, \quad [H_n, G_i] = fG_{m+i},$$

for some $a, b, f \in \mathbb{C}$, $f \neq 0$. Set $[G_i, G_j] = a_{ij}L_{i+j} + b_{ij}H_{i+j}$, for some $a_{ij}, b_{ij} \in \mathbb{C}$. Then from the equation

$$[H_k, [G_i, G_j]] = [[H_k, G_i], G_j] + [G_i, [H_k, G_j]],$$

by letting $k = 0$, we deduce $2f[G_i, G_j] = 0$. Therefore, $[G_i, G_j] = 0$ for all $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$. This is a trivial extension and not the thing we are interested in. Hence we suppose that $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{1}}$ is a direct sum of two $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}}$ -modules of intermediate series, with basis $\{G_i^\pm \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$. Then we have the following equations:

$$[L_m, G_i^+] = (a^+ - i + mb^+)G_{m+i}^+, \quad [H_n, G_i^+] = f_1G_{m+i}^+,$$

$$[L_m, G_i^-] = (a^- - i + mb^-)G_{m+i}^-, \quad [H_n, G_i^-] = f_2 G_{m+i}^-,$$

where $a^+, a^-, b^+, b^-, f_1, f_2 \in \mathbb{C}$, and $(f_1, f_2) \neq (0, 0)$. In order to get a nontrivial super-extension, we must have $a^+ = a^-$, denoted by a . Set

$$[G_i^-, G_j^+] = a_{ij} L_{i+j} + b_{ij} H_{i+j}.$$

Since

$$0 = [H_0, [G_i^-, G_j^+]] = (f_1 + f_2)[G_i^-, G_j^+],$$

we can suppose that $f_1 = 1, f_2 = -1$ (replacing H_m by $f_1^{-1}H_m$). Following

$$[L_k, [G_i^-, G_j^+]] = [[L_k, G_i^-], G_j^+] + [G_i^-, [L_k, G_j^+]], \quad (2.2)$$

and setting $k = 0$ in (2.2), we can get that $a = 0$. Following (2.2), we have

$$(k - i - j)a_{i,j} = (-i + kb^-)a_{i+k,j} + (-j + kb^+)a_{i,k+j}, \quad (2.3)$$

$$(-i - j)b_{i,j} = (-i + kb^-)b_{i+k,j} + (-j + kb^+)b_{i,k+j}. \quad (2.4)$$

By

$$[G_k^-, [G_i^-, G_j^+]] + [G_i^-, [G_k^-, G_j^+]] = 0, \quad (2.5)$$

we obtain $b_{ij} + b_{kj} = a_{ij}(-k + (i + j)b^-) + a_{kj}(-i + (k + j)b^-)$. Setting $k = i$ gives

$$b_{ij} = a_{ij}(-i + (i + j)b^-). \quad (2.6)$$

Replacing G_k^-, G_i^-, G_j^+ respectively by G_j^+, G_j^+, G_i^- in (2.5) gives

$$b_{ij} = -a_{ij}(-j + (i + j)b^+).$$

Comparing it with (2.6), we can get that

$$b^+ + b^- = 1.$$

Following $[H_k, [G_i^-, G_j^+]] = [[H_k, G_i^-], G_j^+] + [G_i^-, [H_k, G_j^+]]$, we have that

$$a_{k+i,j} = a_{i,k+j}, \quad ka_{i,j} = b_{i,k+j} - b_{k+i,j} \quad \text{for all } i, j, k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

Letting $i = 0, k = i$ gives

$$a_{i,j} = a_{0,i+j} \quad \text{for all } i, j \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (2.7)$$

Taking $i = 0$ in (2.3), and by (2.7), we obtain that

$$(k - j)a_{0,j} = kb^-a_{k,j} + (-j + kb^+)a_{0,k+j} = (k - j)a_{0,k+j}. \quad (2.8)$$

Let $a_{0,0} = d \in \mathbb{C}$, then by (2.7) and (2.8), we have that $a_{ij} = d$ for all $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$. Since $b^+ + b^- = 1$, we set $b^- = b$, then

$$b^+ = 1 - b, \quad \text{and} \quad b_{ij} = d(-i + (i + j)b).$$

We can set $d = 1$ (replace G_i^\pm by $\frac{1}{\sqrt{d}}G_i^\pm$), then $\tilde{\mathcal{L}} = \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{0}} \oplus \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{1}}$ is a superalgebra with (2.1) and the following Lie brackets:

$$\begin{aligned} [L_m, G_n^+] &= (-n + m(1 - b))G_{m+n}^+, & [L_m, G_n^-] &= (-n + mb)G_{m+n}^-, \\ [H_m, G_n^\pm] &= \pm G_{m+n}^\pm, & [G_m^\pm, G_n^\pm] &= 0, \\ [G_m^-, G_n^+] &= L_{m+n} + (-m + (m + n)b)H_{m+n}, \end{aligned} \quad (2.9)$$

where $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Obviously, $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$ is \mathbb{Z} -graded:

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}} = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_n, \quad \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_n = \{x \in \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \mid [L_0, x] = nx\} = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{L_{-n}, H_{-n}, G_{-n}^\pm\}.$$

Now we consider the central extension of $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$. Suppose $\varphi : \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \times \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is a 2-cocycle of $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$, we define a linear map $f : \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i) &= \frac{1}{i}\varphi(L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i), \quad i \neq 0, & f(L_0) &= \frac{1}{2}\varphi(L_1, L_{-1}), \\ f(H_0) &= \varphi(L_1, H_{-1}), & f(G_0^\pm) &= \pm\varphi(H_1, G_{-1}^\pm). \end{aligned} \quad (2.10)$$

If we define another 2-cocycle of $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$, $\psi : \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \times \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ satisfying $\psi = \varphi - \varphi_f$, where $\varphi_f(x, y) = f([x, y])$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i) &= \varphi(L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i) - \varphi_f(L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i) = 0, \quad i \neq 0, \\ 2\psi(L_0, L_0) &= \psi([L_1, L_{-1}], L_0) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have that $\psi(L_0, H_0) = \psi(L_0, G_0^\pm) = 0$. Thus

$$\psi(L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i) = 0 \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (2.11)$$

Furthermore,

$$i\psi(\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j) = \psi([L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i], \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j) = \psi(L_0, [\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j]) - \psi(\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i, [L_0, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j]) = -j\psi(\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j),$$

therefore,

$$\psi(\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_i, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_j) = 0 \quad \text{if } i + j \neq 0. \quad (2.12)$$

Now let us consider $\psi(L_i, L_{-i})$. It follows (2.10) that

$$\psi(L_1, L_{-1}) = \varphi(L_1, L_{-1}) - \varphi_f(L_1, L_{-1}) = 0.$$

Then

$$(i-2)\psi(L_i, L_{-i}) = \psi([L_{i-1}, L_1], L_{-i}) = (i+1)\psi(L_{i-1}, L_{-i+1}).$$

Set $\psi(L_i, L_{-i}) = l_i$, we obtain $l_i = \frac{i+1}{i-2}l_{i-1}$ for $i \neq 2$, i.e.,

$$l_i = \frac{i^3 - i}{6}l_2 \quad \text{for all } i \geq 3.$$

Then we can rewrite $\psi(L_i, L_{-i})$ as follows

$$\psi(L_i, L_{-i}) = \frac{i^3-i}{6}c_L \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad (2.13)$$

where $c_L \in \mathbb{C}$. Similar to the argument about $\psi(L_i, L_{-i})$, we can obtain that

$$\psi(H_i, H_{-i}) = ic_H, \quad \psi(L_i, H_{-i}) = \frac{i(i-1)}{2}c_{HL}, \quad (2.14)$$

$$\psi(H_i, G_{-i}^\pm) = \psi(L_i, G_{-i}^\pm) = \psi(G_i^\pm, G_{-i}^\pm) = 0 \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad (2.15)$$

where $c_H, c_{HL} \in \mathbb{C}$. Finally, we consider $\psi(G_i^-, G_{-i}^+)$. Set $\psi(G_0^-, G_0^+) = c_G$, by (2.9) and (2.14), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(G_1^-, G_{-1}^+) &= \psi([G_0^-, H_1], G_{-1}^+) \\ &= \psi(G_0^-, [H_1, G_{-1}^+]) - \psi(H_1, [G_0^-, G_{-1}^+]) = c_G + c_{HL} + bc_H, \end{aligned}$$

and $\psi(G_1^-, G_{-1}^+) = \psi(G_1^-, [H_{-1}, G_0^+]) = c_G + (1-b)c_H$. Hence $c_G + c_{HL} + bc_H = c_G + (1-b)c_H$, i.e.,

$$c_{HL} = (1-2b)c_H. \quad (2.16)$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(G_i^-, G_{-i}^+) &= \psi([G_0^-, H_i], G_{-i}^+) \\ &= \psi(G_0^-, [H_i, G_{-i}^+]) - \psi(H_i, [G_0^-, G_{-i}^+]) = c_G + \left(\frac{i(i+1)}{2} - ib\right)c_H. \end{aligned} \quad (2.17)$$

Note that

$$[L_i, [G_j^-, G_k^+]] = [[L_i, G_j^-], G_k^+] + [G_j^-, [L_i, G_k^+]].$$

If we suppose $i + j + k = 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{i^3-i}{6}c_L + (-j + (k+j)b)\frac{i(i-1)}{2}c_{HL} \\ &= (-j + ib)\left(c_G + \left(\frac{-k(1-k)}{2} + kb\right)c_H\right) + (-k + i(1-b))\left(c_G + \left(\frac{j(j+1)}{2} - jb\right)c_H\right). \end{aligned} \quad (2.18)$$

By (2.16), and setting $j = 0$ in (2.18), we have that

$$\frac{i^2-1}{6}c_L - 2c_G = i^2(b - b^2)c_H. \quad (2.19)$$

Letting $i = 1$ in (2.19), we can obtain that

$$c_G = \frac{b^2-b}{2}c_H, \quad c_L = 6(b - b^2)c_H. \quad (2.20)$$

Then we have the following theorem:

Theorem 2.1. The possible nontrivial super-extensions of the Heisenberg-Virasoro type algebra (2.1) are the following superalgebras:

$$\hat{\mathcal{L}} = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{L_i, H_j, G_k^\pm, c_H \mid c_H \in \mathbb{C}, i, j, k \in \mathbb{Z}\},$$

where c_H is a central element and the following relations hold:

$$\begin{aligned}
[L_i, L_j] &= (i - j)L_{i+j} + (i^3 - i)(b - b^2)c_H\delta_{i+j,0}, \\
[L_i, H_j] &= -jH_{i+j} + \frac{i(i-1)}{2}(1-2b)c_H\delta_{i+j,0}, \quad [H_i, H_j] = ic_H\delta_{i+j,0}, \\
[L_i, G_j^+] &= (-j + i(1-b))G_{i+j}^+, \quad [L_i, G_j^-] = (-j + ib)G_{i+j}^-, \quad (2.21) \\
[H_i, G_j^\pm] &= \pm G_{i+j}^\pm, \quad [G_i^+, G_j^+] = [G_i^-, G_j^-] = 0, \\
[G_i^-, G_j^+] &= L_{i+j} + (-i + (i+j)b)H_{i+j} + \frac{i(i+1-2b)+b^2-b}{2}c_H\delta_{i+j,0}.
\end{aligned}$$

If $b = \frac{1}{2}$, then $\hat{\mathcal{L}} = \mathcal{L}$. That is to say, Ramond $N = 2$ superconformal algebra \mathcal{L} is a special case of $\hat{\mathcal{L}}$.

3. The modules of intermediate series over \mathcal{L}

§3.0 Let $V = V_0 \oplus V_1$ be any indecomposable \mathcal{L} -module with $\dim V_\alpha^\lambda \leq 1$ for all $\lambda \in \mathcal{H}^*, \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$, where

$$V_\alpha^\lambda = \{v \in V_\alpha \mid L_0 \cdot v = \lambda(L_0)v, H_0 \cdot v = \lambda(H_0)v\}.$$

We also have the following:

$$V = \left(\bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} V_0^{a+k} \right) \oplus \left(\bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} V_1^{a+k} \right). \quad (3.1)$$

One sees that c acts trivially on V (see, e.g., [6, 9]). So we can omit c in (1.1).

Now we consider all possibilities of V_0 and V_1 case by case below. Let us recall the definition of Vir -modules $A_{a,b}, A(\alpha), B(\beta)$ (see [6]). They all have a basis $\{x_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ such that for $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$\begin{aligned}
A_{a,b} : \quad L_i x_j &= (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}. \\
A(\alpha) : \quad L_i x_j &= -(i + j)x_{i+j}, \quad j \neq 0, \quad L_i x_0 = -i(1 + (i + 1)\alpha)x_i. \\
B(\beta) : \quad L_i x_j &= -jx_{i+j}, \quad i + j \neq 0, \quad L_i x_{-i} = i(1 + (i + 1)\beta)x_0.
\end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

§3.1 Suppose both of V_0, V_1 have the form $A_{a,b}, a, b \in \mathbb{C}$. Then we choose a basis $\{x_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ of V_0 and a basis $\{y_j \mid j \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ of V_1 such that

$$L_i x_j = (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}, \quad L_i y_j = (a' - j + ib')y_{i+j}, \quad (3.3)$$

$$H_i x_j = f_{ij} x_{i+j}, \quad H_i y_j = f'_{ij} y_{i+j}, \quad (3.4)$$

$$G_i^\pm x_j = a_{ij}^\pm y_{i+j}, \quad G_i^\pm y_j = b_{ij}^\pm x_{i+j}, \quad (3.5)$$

where $a, a', b, b', f_{ij}, f'_{ij}, a_{ij}^\pm, b_{ij}^\pm \in \mathbb{C}$. We have $a = a'$ by applying L_0 to the first formula of (3.5). By (1.1), we have

$$(\frac{i}{2} - j)a_{i+j,k}^\pm = (a - (k + j) + ib')a_{j,k}^\pm - (a - k + ib)a_{j,i+k}^\pm, \quad (3.6)$$

and $2(a - k + (i + j)b) - (i - j)f_{i+j,k} = a_{j,k}^+ b_{i,k+j}^- + a_{i,k}^- b_{j,k+i}^+$. Let $i = j$, we get

$$a_{i,k}^+ b_{i,k+i}^- + a_{i,k}^- b_{i,k+i}^+ = 2(a - k + 2ib). \quad (3.7)$$

From (3.7), we know that for all fixed $i, k \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$a_{i,j}^+ = a_{i,j}^- = 0, \quad b_{k,l}^+ = b_{k,l}^- = 0 \text{ only for finitely many } j \text{ and finitely many } l. \quad (3.8)$$

Applying $[G_i^\pm, G_j^\pm] = 0$ to x_k gives $a_{i,j}^\pm b_{i,k+j}^\pm + a_{i,k}^\pm b_{j,k+i}^\pm = 0$. Letting $i = j$ gives

$$a_{i,k}^\pm b_{i,k+i}^\pm = 0. \quad (3.9)$$

Therefore, by (3.7) and (3.9), for any $i, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $a - k + 2ib \neq 0$, we have

$$a_{ik}^+ a_{ik}^- = 0, \quad (a_{ik}^+)^2 + (a_{ik}^-)^2 \neq 0, \quad (\text{similar relations for } b_{ik}^\pm). \quad (3.10)$$

For convenience, we omit the superscript “ \pm ” in a_{ij}^\pm . Let $i = 2j$ and $i = -2j$ in (3.6) respectively, we get

$$(a - k + 2jb)a_{j,k+2j} = (a - (k + j) + 2jb')a_{j,k}, \quad (3.11)$$

$$-2ja_{-j,k} = (a - (k + j) - 2jb')a_{j,k} - (a - k - 2jb)a_{j,k-2j}. \quad (3.12)$$

Multiplying (3.12) by $a - (k - j) + 2jb'$ and replacing the last term by (3.11), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & -2j(a - (k - j) + 2jb')a_{-j,k} \\ &= (a - (k - j) + 2jb')(a - (k + j) - 2jb')a_{j,k} - (a - k - 2jb)(a - (k - 2j) + 2jb)a_{j,k} \\ &= 2j(a - (k - j) + 2jb' + 2jt)a_{j,k}, \end{aligned}$$

where $t = b'^2 - (b + \frac{1}{2})^2$. Similarly, let $j = -j$, $i = 2j$ and $j = -j$, $i = -2j$ in (3.6), we can obtain that

$$2j(a - (k + j) - 2jb')a_{j,k} = -2j(a - (k + j) - 2jb' - 2jt)a_{-j,k}.$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} & ((a - (k + j) - 2jb')(a - (k - j) + 2jb') \\ & - ((a - k - j - 2jb') - 2jt)((a - k + j + 2jb') + 2jt))a_{jk} = 0, \end{aligned}$$

which gives

$$4j^2t(t + 2b' + 1)a_{jk} = 0. \quad (3.13)$$

By (3.8), there at least exists one k_0 such that $a_{1,k_0}^+ \neq 0$, or $a_{1,k_0}^- \neq 0$. (If $a_{1,k}^\pm = 0$ for all k , by letting $j = 1$ in (3.6) we get $a_{ik}^\pm = 0$ for $i, k \in \mathbb{Z}, i \neq 2$. By letting $i = j = 1$ in (3.6), we get $a_{2,k}^\pm = 0$.) Thus it follows from (3.13) that

$$b' = \pm(b + \frac{1}{2}), \quad \text{or} \quad b' = -1 \pm (b + \frac{1}{2}).$$

Case 1. $b' = b + \frac{1}{2}$.

First suppose $a - k + 2b \neq 0$ for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. Letting $j = 1$ in (3.11), we obtain (again we omit the superscript “ \pm ” in x_0, x_1 for the time being)

$$a_{1,k} = \begin{cases} x_0, & k \text{ is even,} \\ x_1, & k \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Let $j = 1$, and let i, k be odd in (3.6), then

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{i}{2} - 1\right)a_{i+1,k} &= (a - (k+1) + ib')a_{1,k} - (a - k + ib)a_{1,k+i} \\ &= (a - (k+1) + ib')x_1 - (a - k + ib)x_0. \end{aligned}$$

By (3.11) and $b' = b + \frac{1}{2}$, we also have

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{i}{2} - 1\right)a_{i+1,k} &= \left(\frac{i}{2} - 1\right)a_{i+1,k+2(i+1)} \\ &= (a - (k+2(i+1)+1) + ib')x_1 - (a - (k+2(i+1)) + ib)x_0. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously, we get $x_0 = x_1$. Similar to the arguments after (3.13), we have

$$a_{ij}^\pm = d_1^\pm \quad \text{for all } i, j \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad (3.14)$$

where d_1^\pm are constants, and by (3.10),

$$d_1^+ d_1^- = 0, \quad (d_1^+)^2 + (d_1^-)^2 \neq 0. \quad (3.15)$$

Now we suppose that $a - k' + 2b = 0$ for some $k' \in \mathbb{Z}$. It follows from (3.11) that $(a - k + 2b)a_{1,k} = (a - k + 2b)a_{1,k+2}$. Then

$$a_{1k} = \begin{cases} x_0, & k > k', k \text{ is even,} \\ x_1, & k > k', k \text{ is odd.} \end{cases} \quad a_{1k} = \begin{cases} y_0, & k \leq k', k \text{ is even,} \\ y_1, & k \leq k', k \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

By (3.6), we get

$$a_{ik} = \begin{cases} x_0, & k > k', k+i-1 > k', \text{ and } k, i-1 \text{ are even,} \\ x_1, & k > k', k+i-1 > k', \text{ and } k, i-1 \text{ are odd,} \end{cases}$$

and

$$a_{ik} = \begin{cases} y_0, & k \leq k', k+i-1 \leq k', \text{ and } k, i-1 \text{ are even,} \\ y_1, & k \leq k', k+i-1 \leq k', \text{ and } k, i-1 \text{ are odd.} \end{cases}$$

Now choose some $k, j \in \mathbb{Z}$, such that $a - k + 2jb \neq 0$, $k \leq k'$, $k+j-1 \leq k'$, $k+2j > k'$, $k+3j-1 > k'$, and one of k and j is even, and another is odd. Then by (3.11), we have

$$(a - k + 2jb)a_{j,k} = (a - k + 2jb)a_{j,k+2j}.$$

Therefore,

$$x_0 = y_0, \quad x_1 = y_1.$$

Similar to the argument above, we again have (3.14) and (3.15).

Case 2. $b' = -(b + \frac{1}{2})$.

Let $i = 2j$ and $i = -2j$ respectively in (3.6), we have

$$(a - k - 2j - 2jb)a_{j,k} = (a - k + 2jb)a_{j,k+2j}, \quad (3.16)$$

$$-2ja_{-j,k} = (a - k + 2jb)a_{j,k} - (a - k - 2jb)a_{j,k-2j} = -2ja_{j,k}, \quad (3.17)$$

where the second equality of (3.17) follows from (3.16) by replaced k by $k - 2j$. Hence, $a_{j,k} = a_{-j,k}$ for all $k, j \in \mathbb{Z}$. Using it, again by (3.6), we deduce that

$$\begin{aligned} (a - (k + j) + ib')a_{j,k} - (a - k + ib)a_{j,k+i} &= (\frac{i}{2} - j)a_{i+j,k} \\ &= (\frac{i}{2} - j)a_{-i-j,k} = -(a - (k - j) - ib')a_{-j,k} - (a - k - ib)a_{-j,k-i}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(a - k - ib)a_{j,k-i} - 2(a - k)a_{j,k} + (a - k + ib)a_{j,k+i} = 0. \quad (3.18)$$

Let $j = 1$ in (3.16) and then replace k by $k + 2$ in the new equality, we can obtain

$$a_{1,k+4} = \frac{(a-k-4-2b)(a-k-2-2b)}{(a-k-2+2b)(a-k+2b)}a_{1,k}.$$

Similarly, we can have a formula for $a_{1,k-4}$. Then let $i = 4$ in (3.18), we have

$$\begin{aligned} &((a - k - 4b)\frac{(a-k+4+2b)(a-k+2+2b)}{(a-k+2-2b)(a-k-2b)} - 2(a - k) \\ &+ (a - k + 4b)\frac{(a-k-4-2b)(a-k-2-2b)}{(a-k-2+2b)(a-k+2b)})a_{1,k} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

By (3.11) and the discussion after (3.13), we know the coefficient of $a_{1,k}$ must be zero. We obtain $b = -1$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$. Note that the case of $b = -\frac{1}{2}, b' = 0$ is contained in Case 1. So we only need to consider the case of $b = -1, b' = \frac{1}{2}$.

Let $j = 1$ in (3.11), then $(a - k)a_{1,k}$ is a constant for all even k or all odd k . We suppose that

$$(a - k)a_{1,k} = \begin{cases} x_0, & k \text{ is even}, \\ x_1, & k \text{ is odd}. \end{cases}$$

Let $i = j = 1$ in (3.18), we can obtain that $x_0 = x_1$. That is to say, $(a - k)a_{1,k}$ is a constant for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. If $a - k_1 = 0$ for some $k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $a_{1,k} = \frac{a-k_1}{a-k}a_{1,k_1} = 0$ for all $k \neq k_1$, a contradiction with (3.8). Thus $a - k \neq 0$ for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, i.e., $a \notin \mathbb{Z}$. Denote $(a - k)a_{1,k}^\pm$ by d_2^\pm , where $d_2^\pm \in \mathbb{C}$ are constants. By (3.6), let $j = 1$, we get

$$(\frac{i}{2} - 1)a_{i+1,k} = (a - (k + 1) + \frac{i}{2})a_{1,k} - (a - k - 1)a_{1,k+1},$$

then $a_{i,k} = a_{1,k}$ for all $i \in \mathbb{Z}, i \neq 3$. Again by (3.6), let $j = 2, i = 1$, we have

$$-\frac{3}{2}a_{3,k} = (a - (k + 2) + \frac{1}{2})a_{2,k} - (a - k - 1)a_{2,k+1},$$

then $a_{3,k} = a_{1,k}$. Therefore, $a_{ij}^\pm = (a - j)^{-1}d_2^\pm$ for all $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$, and by (3.10),

$$d_2^+d_2^- = 0, \quad (d_2^+)^2 + (d_2^-)^2 \neq 0.$$

Case 3. $b' = -b - \frac{3}{2}$.

Following the arguments in Case 2, we have $2ja_{j,k} = 2ja_{-j,k-2j}$, and

$$(a - k - j + ib')a_{j,k} + (a - k - j - 2i - ib')a_{j,k+2i} = 2(a - k - i - j)a_{j,k+i}, \quad (3.19)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & ((a - k - 1 + 4b')\frac{(a - k - 3 - 2b')(a - k - 5 - 2b')}{(a - k - 1 + 2b')(a - k - 3 + 2b')} - 2(a - k - 5) \\ & \quad + (a - k - 9 - 4b')\frac{(a - k - 7 + 2b')(a - k - 5 + 2b')}{(a - k - 9 - 2b')(a - k - 7 - 2b')})a_{1,k+4} = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (3.20)$$

Then we obtain that $b = -\frac{3}{2}$ or -1 . The case of $b = -1$ ($b' = -\frac{1}{2}$) is contained in Case 1. So we consider the case of $b = -\frac{3}{2}, b' = 0$. By (3.11), let $j = 1$, we have

$$(a - k - 1)a_{1,k} = (a - k - 3)a_{1,k+2},$$

then $(a - k - 1)a_{1,k}$ is a constant for all even k or all odd k . By (3.19), similar to the argument in Case 2, we can obtain that $(a - k - 1)a_{1,k}$ is a constant for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. If $a - k_1 - 1 = 0$ for some k_1 , then $a_{1,k} = \frac{a - k_1 - 1}{a - k - 1}a_{1,k_1} = 0$ for all $k \neq k_1$. Also a contradiction with (3.8). Therefore, $a \notin \mathbb{Z}$. Now we denote $(a - k - 1)a_{1,k}$ by d_3 , i.e. $a_{1,k} = (a - k - 1)^{-1}d_3$, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. Let $j = 1$ in (3.6), then we have that

$$(\frac{i}{2} - 1)a_{i+1,k} = (a - k - 1)a_{1,k} - (a - k - \frac{3}{2}i)a_{1,k+i}.$$

Then

$$a_{i,k} = a_{1,k+i-1} = (a - k - i)^{-1}d_3 \quad \text{for } i \neq 3.$$

Let $i = 1, j = 2$ in (3.6), we get $-\frac{3}{2}a_{3,k} = (a - k - 2)a_{2,k} - (a - k - \frac{3}{2})a_{2,k+1} = -\frac{3}{2}a_{2,k+1}$, then $a_{3,k} = (a - k - 3)^{-1}d_3$. Therefore, $a_{ij}^\pm = (a - i - j)^{-1}d_3^\pm$ for all $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$, and by (3.10),

$$d_3^+d_3^- = 0, \quad (d_3^+)^2 + (d_3^-)^2 \neq 0.$$

Case 4. $b' = b - \frac{1}{2}$.

Note that if we act $(\frac{i}{2} - j)G_{i+j}^\pm = [L_i, G_j^\pm]$ on y_k , we can obtain that

$$(\frac{i}{2} - j)b_{i+j,k}^\pm = (a - (k + j) + ib)b_{j,k}^\pm - (a - k + ib)b_{j,i+k}^\pm. \quad (3.21)$$

Similar to the discussion in case 1 ($b = b' + \frac{1}{2}$), we have $b_{ij}^\pm = d_1'^\pm, i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$ for some $d_1'^\pm \in \mathbb{C}$, and by (3.10),

$$d_1'^+d_1'^- = 0, \quad (d_1'^+)^2 + (d_1'^-)^2 \neq 0.$$

Then it follows from (3.7) that

$$a_{ij}^\pm = 2(a - k + 2ib)(d_1'^\mp)^{-1}.$$

Until now, we get that

$$a_{ij}^\pm = \begin{cases} d_1^\pm, & b' = b + \frac{1}{2}, \\ (a - j)^{-1}d_2^\pm, & b' = \frac{1}{2}, \quad b = -1, \\ (a - i - j)^{-1}d_3^\pm, & b' = 0, \quad b = -\frac{3}{2}, \\ 2(a - j + 2ib)(d_1'^\mp)^{-1}, & b' = b - \frac{1}{2}. \end{cases}$$

Again using (3.17), following the same arguments about $a_{i,j}^\pm$, we have that

$$b_{ij}^\pm = \begin{cases} d_1'^\pm, & b = b' + \frac{1}{2}, \\ (a - j)^{-1}d_2'^\pm, & b = \frac{1}{2}, \quad b' = -1, \\ (a - i - j)^{-1}d_3'^\pm, & b = 0, \quad b' = -\frac{3}{2}, \\ 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2}))(d_1^\mp)^{-1}, & b = b' - \frac{1}{2}. \end{cases}$$

Obviously only the following two cases can occur:

$$\begin{aligned} a_{ij}^\pm &= d^\pm, \quad b_{ij}^\pm = 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2}))(d^\mp)^{-1}, \quad b' = b + \frac{1}{2}, \\ b_{ij}^\pm &= d'^\pm, \quad a_{ij}^\pm = 2(a - j + 2ib)(d'^\mp)^{-1}, \quad b = b' + \frac{1}{2}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.22)$$

for some $d^\pm, d'^\pm \in \mathbb{C}$. Together with (3.10), we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} (d^+)^2 + (d^-)^2 &= 0, \quad d^+d^- = 0, \quad \text{and} \\ (d'^+)^2 + (d'^-)^2 &= 0, \quad d'^+d'^- = 0. \end{aligned}$$

By rescaling basis $\{y_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ (or $\{x_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$) if necessary, we can suppose $d^\pm = 1$ (or $d'^\pm = 1$). Then we rewrite (3.22):

$$\begin{aligned} a_{ij}^+ \text{ (or } a_{ij}^-) &= 1, \quad b_{ij}^- \text{ (or } b_{ij}^+) = 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2})), \quad b' = b + \frac{1}{2}. \\ b_{ij}^+ \text{ (or } b_{ij}^-) &= 1, \quad a_{ij}^- \text{ (or } a_{ij}^+) = 2(a - j + 2ib), \quad b' = b - \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.23)$$

Now we consider one of the cases of (3.23):

$$a_{ij}^+ = 1, \quad b_{ij}^- = 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2})), \quad a_{ij}^- = b_{ij}^+ = 0, \quad b' = b + \frac{1}{2}.$$

We want to determine the action of H_i on V . Set $f_{00} = f, f'_{00} = f'$. Since $[H_0, G_i^+] = G_i^+$, we have that $f' = f + 1$. Similar to the arguments of [8], we get the following cases.

Case 5. $a - b, a - b' \notin \mathbb{Z}$. We have some cases as follows:

$$\text{Subcase 5.1. } f_{ij} = f, \quad f'_{ij} = f + 1; \quad b' = b + \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{Subcase 5.2. } f_{ij} = \frac{a-j}{a-i-j}f, \quad f'_{ij} = f + 1; \quad b = 0, \quad b' = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{Subcase 5.3. } f_{ij} = \frac{a-i-j}{a-j}f, \quad f'_{ij} = f + 1; \quad b = -1, \quad b' = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{Subcase 5.4. } f_{ij} = f, \quad f'_{ij} = \frac{a-j}{a-i-j}(f + 1); \quad b = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad b' = 0.$$

$$\text{Subcase 5.5. } f_{ij} = f, \quad f'_{ij} = \frac{a-i-j}{a-j}(f + 1); \quad b = -\frac{3}{2}, \quad b' = -1.$$

Note that

$$[H_i, G_j^+] = G_{i+j}^+. \quad (3.24)$$

Acting it on x_k , we compare the coefficients on the two sides, then we get contradictions for Subcases 5.2–5.5. And in Subcase 5.1, follows $[H_i, G_j^-] \cdot y_k = -G_{i+j}^- \cdot y_k$, one can get that $f = -2b - 2$. Then we obtain a representation $RA_{a,b}$ of \mathcal{L} with basis $\{x_i, y_i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ and the actions:

$$\begin{aligned} RA_{a,b}: L_i x_j &= (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}, \quad L_i y_j = (a - j + i(b + \frac{1}{2}))y_{i+j}, \\ H_i x_j &= -(2b + 2)x_{i+j}, \quad H_i y_j = -(2b + 1)y_{i+j}, \\ G_i^- x_j &= G_i^+ y_j = 0, \quad G_i^+ x_j = y_{i+j}, \quad G_i^- y_j = 2(a + i - j + 2ib)x_{i+j}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.25)$$

(together with $cx_i = cy_i = 0$ for all $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$).

Obviously:

- (i) As Vir -modules, $V_0 \cong A_{a,b}$ and $V_1 \cong A_{a,b'}$, where b and b' have some relations.
- (ii) For all $i \in \mathbb{Z}$, H_i acts as constants on V_0 and V_1 .

Case 6. $a - b \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $a - b' \notin \mathbb{Z}$. Similar to the discussion in case 5, we have the following subcases:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Subcase 6.1. } f_{ij} &= 0, & f'_{ij} &= 1; & b &= 0, & b' &= \frac{1}{2}. \\ \text{Subcase 6.2. } f_{ij} &= 0, & f'_{ij} &= 1; & b &= -1, & b' &= -\frac{1}{2}. \\ \text{Subcase 6.3. } f_{ij} &= f \neq 0, & f'_{ij} &= f + 1; & b &= -\frac{1}{2}, & b' &= 0. \\ \text{Subcase 6.4. } f_{ij} &= f \neq 0, & f'_{ij} &= \frac{a-i}{a-i-j}(f + 1); & b &= -\frac{1}{2}, & b' &= 0. \\ \text{Subcase 6.5. } f_{ij} &= \frac{a-j}{a-i-j}f, & f'_{ij} &= f + 1; & b &= 0, & b' &= \frac{1}{2}. \\ \text{Subcase 6.6. } f_{ij} &= \frac{a-i-j}{a-j}f, & f'_{ij} &= f + 1; & b &= -1, & b' &= -\frac{1}{2}. \\ \text{Subcase 6.7. } f_{ij} &= f, & f'_{ij} &= \frac{a-i-j}{a-j}(f + 1); & b &= -\frac{3}{2}, & b' &= -1. \end{aligned}$$

Again by (3.24), we know that only Subcases 6.2 and 6.3 can occur. It is not difficult to see that they are contained in (3.25).

Case 7. $a - b' \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $a - b \notin \mathbb{Z}$. Similar to the discussion of case 6, we obtain that if $a_{ij}^+ = 1$, $b_{ij}^- = 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2}))$, $a_{ij}^- = b_{ij}^+ = 0$, $b' = b + \frac{1}{2}$, the module V has the form of $RA_{a,b}$, for some $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$.

Similarly, we can write the other three cases of (3.23):

$$\begin{aligned} RB_{a,b}: L_i x_j &= (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}, \quad L_i y_j = (a - j + i(b + \frac{1}{2}))y_{i+j}, \\ H_i x_j &= (2b + 2)x_{i+j}, \quad H_i y_j = (2b + 1)y_{i+j}, \\ G_i^+ x_j &= G_i^- y_j = 0, \quad G_i^- x_j = y_{i+j}, \quad G_i^+ y_j = 2(a + i - j + 2ib)x_{i+j}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.26)$$

when $a_{ij}^- = 1$, $b_{ij}^+ = 2(a - j + 2i(b + \frac{1}{2}))$, $a_{ij}^+ = b_{ij}^- = 0$, $b' = b + \frac{1}{2}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
RA'_{a,b}: \quad L_i x_j &= (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}, \quad L_i y_j = (a - j + i(b - \frac{1}{2}))y_{i+j}, \\
H_i x_j &= -2b x_{i+j}, \quad H_i y_j = -(2b + 1)y_{i+j}, \\
G_i^+ x_j &= G_i^- y_j = 0, \quad G_i^+ y_j = x_{i+j}, \quad G_i^- x_j = 2(a - j + 2ib)y_{i+j},
\end{aligned} \tag{3.27}$$

when $a_{ij}^- = 2(a - j + 2ib)$, $b_{ij}^+ = 1$, $a_{ij}^+ = b_{ij}^- = 0$, $b' = b - \frac{1}{2}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
RB'_{a,b}: \quad L_i x_j &= (a - j + ib)x_{i+j}, \quad L_i y_j = (a - j + i(b - \frac{1}{2}))y_{i+j}, \\
H_i x_j &= 2b x_{i+j}, \quad H_i y_j = (2b + 1)y_{i+j}, \\
G_i^- x_j &= G_i^+ y_j = 0, \quad G_i^- y_j = x_{i+j}, \quad G_i^+ x_j = 2(a - j + 2ib)y_{i+j},
\end{aligned} \tag{3.28}$$

when $a_{ij}^+ = 2(a - j + 2ib)$, $b_{ij}^- = 1$, $a_{ij}^- = b_{ij}^+ = 0$, $b' = b - \frac{1}{2}$.

It is not difficult to see that $RA_{a,b} \cong RA'_{a,b+\frac{1}{2}}$, $RB_{a,b} \cong RB'_{a,b+\frac{1}{2}}$.

§3.2 Now we consider all the possible deformations of the representations which defined in section 3.1.

Case 1. Suppose V is an indecomposable module which has the same composition factors as those of $RA_{a,b}$ (in this case $RA_{a,b}$ is reducible). Let V' be a non-zero submodule of V .

Subcase 1.1. There exists $x_i \in V'$ for some $i \in \mathbb{Z}$. By the sixth equation of (3.25), we obtain that $y_j \in V'$ for all $j \in \mathbb{Z}$. By the last equation of (3.25),

$$G_i^- y_{k-i} = 2(a + i - k + i + 2ib)x_k = 2(a - k + 2(b + 1)i)x_k. \tag{3.29}$$

we see that V' is a proper submodule of V if and only if $a = k_0$, $b = -1$ for some $k_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$. In this case we can suppose $a = 0$, $b = -1$. Then

$$V' = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{x_i, y_j \mid i, j \in \mathbb{Z}, i \neq 0\}$$

is a nontrivial irreducible submodule of V , with the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned}
L_i x_k &= -(i + k)x_{i+k}, \quad L_i y_j = -(\frac{i}{2} + j)y_{i+j}, \\
H_i x_k &= 0, \quad H_i y_j = y_{i+j}, \\
G_i^- x_k &= G_i^+ y_j = 0, \quad G_i^+ x_k = y_{i+k}, \quad G_i^- y_j = -2(i + j)x_{i+j},
\end{aligned} \tag{3.30}$$

for all $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $k \neq 0$.

In order to determine all possible actions on V , we suppose that

$$L_i x_0 = l_i x_i, \quad H_i x_0 = h_i x_i, \quad G_i^\pm x_0 = g_i^\pm y_i \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

Act $[L_{i-1}, H_1] = -H_i$ on x_0 , we can obtain that

$$h_i = i h_1 \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \tag{3.31}$$

Applying $[L_i, G_j^-] = (\frac{i}{2} - j)G_{i+j}^-$ to x_0 , we obtain that

$$-(\frac{i}{2} + j)g_j^- = (\frac{i}{2} - j)g_{i+j}^-. \tag{3.32}$$

Set $j = 0$, we get that $-\frac{i}{2}g_0^- = \frac{i}{2}g_i^-$, i.e., $g_i^- = -g_0^-$ for $i \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$. Set $j = -i$ in (3.32), we get that $-(\frac{i}{2} - i)g_{-i}^- = (\frac{i}{2} + i)g_0^-$, i.e., $g_{-i}^- = \frac{3}{2}g_0^-$ for $i \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$. Then we must have that

$$g_i^- = 0 \text{ for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (3.33)$$

Applying $[L_i, G_j^+] = (\frac{i}{2} - j)G_{i+j}^+$ to x_0 , we obtain that

$$l_i = -(\frac{i}{2} + j)g_j^+ - (\frac{i}{2} - j)g_{i+j}^+. \quad (3.34)$$

Following $[H_i, G_j^+] \cdot x_0 = G_{i+j}^+ \cdot x_0$, we get that

$$h_i = g_j^+ - g_{i+j}^+ \text{ for all } i, j \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (3.35)$$

Set $j = 0$, and by (3.31), one can get that

$$g_i^+ = g_0^+ - ih_1. \quad (3.36)$$

It follows (3.34) that

$$l_i = \frac{i^2}{2}h_1 - ig_0^+. \quad (3.37)$$

If $h_1 = 0$, then

$$l_i = -ig_0^+, \quad h_i = 0, \quad g_i^- = 0, \quad g_i^+ = g_0^+,$$

and it satisfies (3.30) (rescaling x_0 by $(g_0^+)^{-1}x_0$). Then it is not a deformation of V . Hence we suppose that $h_1 \neq 0$. Rescaling x_0 by $h_1^{-1}x_0$, and follows (3.34), (3.36), we can obtain that

$$l_i = -i\frac{g_0^+}{h_1} + \frac{i^2}{2}, \quad h_i = i, \quad g_i^+ = \frac{g_0^+}{h_1} - i, \quad g_i^- = 0. \quad (3.38)$$

Then we get a deformation of $RA_{a,b}$, denoted by RA_α , which is an indecomposable module with the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned} RA_\alpha: L_i x_k &= -(i+k)x_{i+k}, & L_i x_0 &= (i\alpha + \frac{i^2}{2})x_i, & L_i y_j &= -(\frac{i}{2} + j)y_{i+j}, \\ H_i y_j &= y_{i+j}, & H_i x_k &= 0, & H_i x_0 &= ix_i, \\ G_i^- x_j &= G_i^+ y_j = 0, & G_i^- y_j &= -2(i+j)x_{i+j}, \\ G_i^+ x_k &= y_{i+k}, & G_i^+ x_0 &= -(\alpha + i)y_i, \end{aligned} \quad (3.39)$$

where $\alpha = -\frac{g_0^+}{h_1} \in \mathbb{C}$, $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $k \neq 0$.

Subcase 1.2. There exists $y_{j_0} \in V'$ for some $j_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$. By (3.25), in order to make V' is a proper submodule of V , we must have that for all $i \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$G_i^- y_{j_0} = 2(a + i - j_0 + 2ib)x_{i+j_0} = 0,$$

it follows that $a = j_0, b = -\frac{1}{2}$. Without loss of generality, we can suppose that $j_0 = 0$, then we have $a = 0, b = -\frac{1}{2}$. Therefore, $V' = \mathbb{C}y_0$ is a trivial proper

submodule of V , and set $V'' = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}}\{x_i, y_j \mid i, j \in \mathbb{Z}, j \neq 0\}$. We have the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned} L_i x_j &= -\left(\frac{i}{2} + j\right)x_{i+j}, & L_i y_k &= -ky_{i+k}, \\ H_i x_j &= -x_{i+j}, & H_i y_k &= 0, \\ G_i^- x_k &= G_i^+ y_j = 0, & G_i^+ x_k &= y_{i+k}, & G_i^- y_j &= -2jx_{i+j}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.40)$$

where $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $k \neq -i$. Suppose that

$$L_i y_{-i} = l_i y_0, \quad H_i y_{-i} = h_i y_0, \quad G_i^\pm x_{-i} = g_i^\pm y_0.$$

Similar to the arguments about Case 1, one can get that

$$l_i = ig_0^+ + \frac{i^2}{2}h_1, \quad g_i^+ = g_0^+ + ih_1, \quad g_i^- = 0, \quad h_i = ih_1.$$

If $h_1 = 0$, then

$$l_i = ig_0^+, \quad g_i^+ = g_0^+, \quad g_i^- = 0, \quad h_i = 0.$$

It is not a deformation too, so we suppose that $h_1 \neq 0$. Rescaling y_0 by $h_1 y_0$, we can get a new representation of \mathcal{L} , we denote it by RA^β .

RA^β : satisfies (3.40) and the following relations (set $\beta = \frac{g_0^+}{h_1}$):

$$L_i y_{-i} = (i\beta + \frac{i^2}{2})y_0, \quad H_i y_{-i} = iy_0, \quad G_i^- x_{-i} = 0, \quad G_i^+ x_{-i} = (\beta + i)y_0. \quad (3.41)$$

Obviously, RA_α has a nontrivial submodule with codimension one, and RA^β has a trivial submodule with dimension one.

Case 2. Now we discuss the deformations of $RB_{a,b}$. Since the discussion is similar to Case 1, we will not give the detail, and only enumerate the results. $RB_{a,b}$ also has two deformations:

$$\begin{aligned} RB_\alpha: \quad L_i x_k &= -(i+k)x_{i+k}, & L_i x_0 &= -(i\alpha + \frac{i^2}{2})x_i, & L_i y_j &= -\left(\frac{i}{2} + j\right)y_{i+j}, \\ H_i y_j &= -y_{i+j}, & H_i x_k &= 0, & H_i x_0 &= ix_i, \\ G_i^+ x_j &= G_i^- y_j = 0, & G_i^+ y_j &= -2(i+j)x_{i+j}, \\ G_i^- x_k &= y_{i+k}, & G_i^- x_0 &= (\alpha + i)y_i, \end{aligned} \quad (3.42)$$

where $\alpha = \frac{g_0^-}{h_1} \in \mathbb{C}$, $h_1 \neq 0$, $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}$, and $k \neq 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} RB^\beta: \quad L_i x_j &= -\left(\frac{i}{2} + j\right)x_{i+j}, & L_i y_k &= -ky_{i+k}, & L_i y_{-i} &= -(i\beta + \frac{i^2}{2})y_0, \\ H_i x_j &= x_{i+j}, & H_i y_k &= 0, & H_i y_{-i} &= iy_0, \\ G_i^+ x_j &= G_i^- y_j = 0, & G_i^- x_k &= y_{i+k}, \\ G_i^- x_{-i} &= -(\beta + i)y_0, & G_i^+ y_j &= -2jx_{i+j}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.43)$$

where $\beta = -\frac{g_0^-}{h_1} \in \mathbb{C}$, $h_1 \neq 0$, $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $k \neq -i$.

This completes the proof of Theorem 1.1.

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